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Honorable Foster Davis
County Attorney
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Crowell, Texas

Dear Sir:

Opinion No. 0-922

Re: A Commissioners' Court may at any time by order enlarge or decrease the boundaries of a justice precinct and when so ordered, the change becomes immediately effective.

You have requested this office to answer two questions which you have submitted to it:

1. May a Commissioners' Court at any time enlarge or decrease the boundaries of a justice precinct?
2. If so, will its order making such changes become immediately effective?

These questions are both answered in the affirmative by the opinion of the court in the case of State ex rel. Dowlin v. Rigby, 43 S. W. 270, which opinion is cited with approval in Williams v. Castleman (Supreme Court) 247 S. W. 263. This opinion is so clear and convincing that we can add nothing to what has there been said.

Yours very truly

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